# STATE OF MONTANA

 ${\bf APPLICATION}\, for\, {\bf CERTIFICATE}\, of\, {\bf AUTHORITY}\, of$ FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (35-8-1003, MCA)

MAIL TO: **MIKE COONEY** 

> Secretary of State P.O. Box 202801

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	Form: FLC-1
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Please Check One Box: □Foreign Limited Liability Company □Foreign Prof	☐ Priority Filing Ad fessional Limited Liability Company
► FIRST: The name of the limited liability company is (must contain to an abbreviation.)	the words " limited liability company", "limited co.", or
Please Note: If professional, must contain the words "professional limited liability co	ompany", or an abbreviation.
► SECOND: It is incorporated under the laws of the state of	
► <b>THIRD:</b> The date of its incorporation is and the permanent of th	eriod of duration is
► FOURTH: The name and address of the registered office/agen	t in Montana:
Name	
Street Address	
Mailing Address	
City, MON	NTANA Zip Code
▶ <b>FIFTH:</b> The street address of the principal office in the state of	organization:
Street Address	
	Zip Code
► SIXTH: Name and address of its current Managers or Members	s: 
► SEVENTH: If a Professional Limited Liability Company, the se	ervices to be rendered:
► I, HEREBY SWEAR AND AFFIRM, under penalty of law than the f	facts contained in this Application are true.
Date of Application	
Signature of Applicant	

# Application for Certificate of Authority for Foreign Limited Liability Company

## HELP SHEET

- Use this form is to file for Certificate of Authority for a foreign Limited Liability Company.
- "A foreign limited liability company is liable for a civil penalty of \$5.00 for each day, not to exceed a total of \$1,000 for each year, that it transacts business in this state without a certificate of authority." In addition, such a company will not be allowed to maintain a proceeding in any court until a certificate of authority is filed with the secretary of state. (35-8-1002, MCA)
- You may request priority filing of your document. Simply mark the "priority filing" box and include an additional \$20.00 with your filing fee. Priority filing ensures that your application will be handled within 24 hours of receipt of the document by our office.
- Please type or clearly print the requested information.

### **Article First**

The business name of a limited liability company must contain the words or an abbreviation of "limited liability company", "limited company", or if professional, "professional limited liability company". (35-8-103, MCA)

If a foreign limited liability company's real name is unavailable for use in Montana, an Assumed Business Name may be used. (35-8-1009, MCA)

### **Article Seventh**

A professional limited liability company may be formed for the purpose of rendering professional services with limited liability status. (35-8-1301, MCA)

For a professional limited liability company, at least half of the managers must be qualified persons with respect to the limited liability company. (35-8-1302, MCA)

- Upon completion, mail the original, one **copy**, and the correct filing fee to the Secretary of State, PO Box 202801, Helena, MT 59620-2801.
- The Secretary of State will send a letter of acknowledgment to you once your document has been filed with our office.
- If you have any questions regarding this form, please contact the Secretary of State, Business Services Bureau at (406) 444-3665. If further assistance is needed in the completion of this form, contact the Secretary of State's office at (406) 444-3665.